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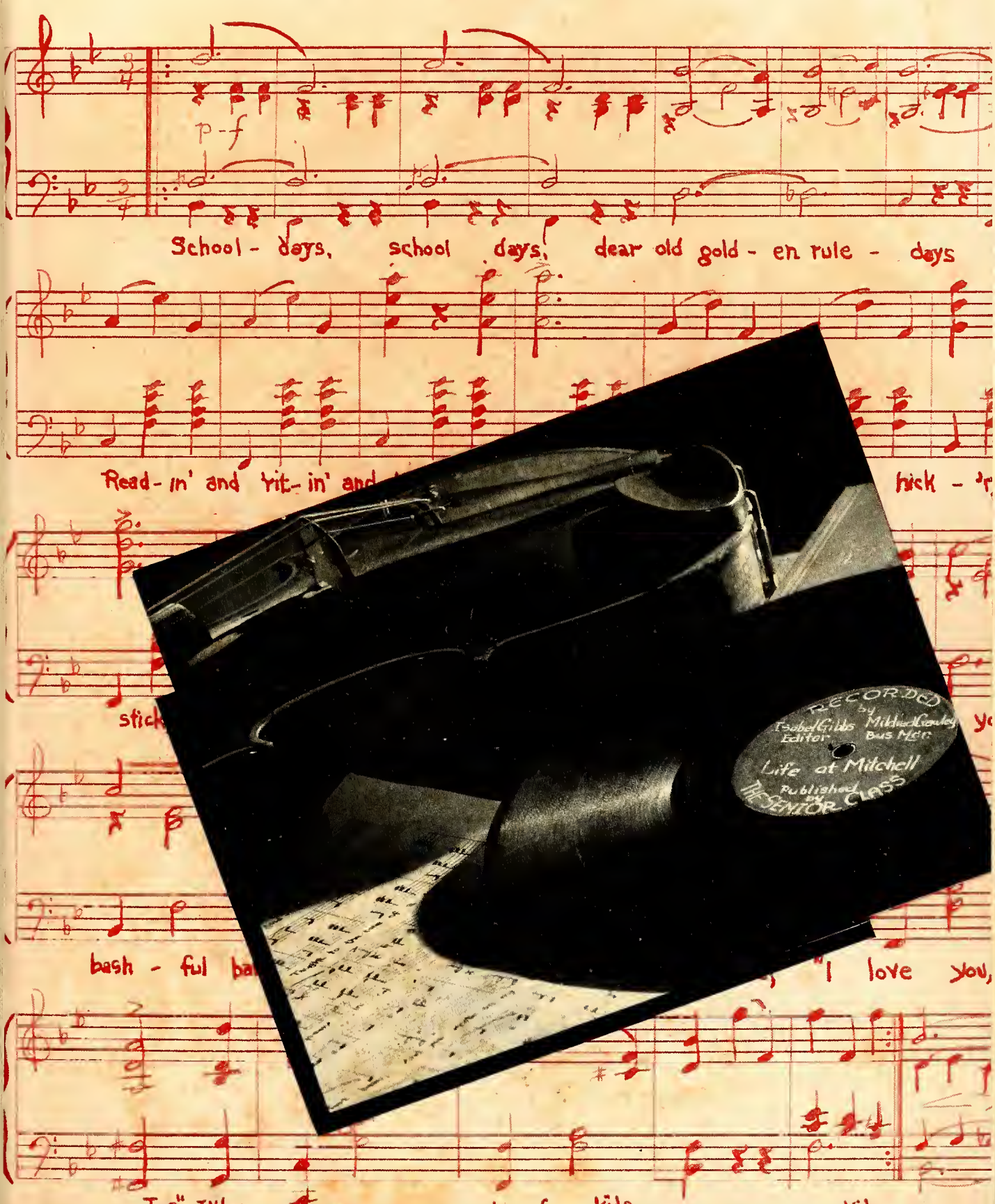

DEDICATION

WITH *love and supreme admiration we have published this book in honor of our Director of Music,* ERNEST B. STIMSON. *We wish to show our appreciation of the service he has rendered to the artistic, cultural, and intellectual development of music students and music lovers; of the inspiration given us by his noble spirit; of his smiles and his conversations spiced with humor that have added much to our happiness; of choir trips which we enjoyed profoundly; of his faith in us; of his personality; and, most of all, of his friendship.*

FOREWORD

LIFE *has been compared to "a strange melody, now light, now dark, now gay, now sad." What is true of life in general is true on a smaller scale of college life. Because music holds such vital sway in our lives, we have made it the theme of our annual, in which we reflect life at Mitchell.*

Music even sings out in the simplicity of college routine—in the footsteps on the hall, in the persistent scribble of the pencils, in the lectures of the teachers, in the clatter from the dining hall, in the ring of the bell, in the voices of our friends, in the laughter, and in the breathing of our slumbers.

In this book we have tried to reveal college life at Mitchell so fully that, long after the music is heard no more, the students will bear it in their hearts.

As Seen At MITCHELL

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

To the Graduates of Nineteen Forty-one

To you and to the world in which you live this has not been just another year. You have carried on your curricula and extra-curricula activities—your laboratory experiments, term papers, banquets, games, choir tours, plays, and debates. These you have done, not in the spirit of fiddling while Rome burns, or of toasting marshmallows while half the world is under fire, but in the firm conviction that the disciplines and achievements of a Christian education are the best bulwarks of national defense and the truest preparation for service in the Kingdom of God. Your faithfulness to the tasks at hand on your college campus is an earnest of your preparedness in mind, body, and spirit for the demands of the world in your day. May the college motto, "For His Glory," inspire, restrain, and impel you in all that lies ahead.

Grace H. Ramsey

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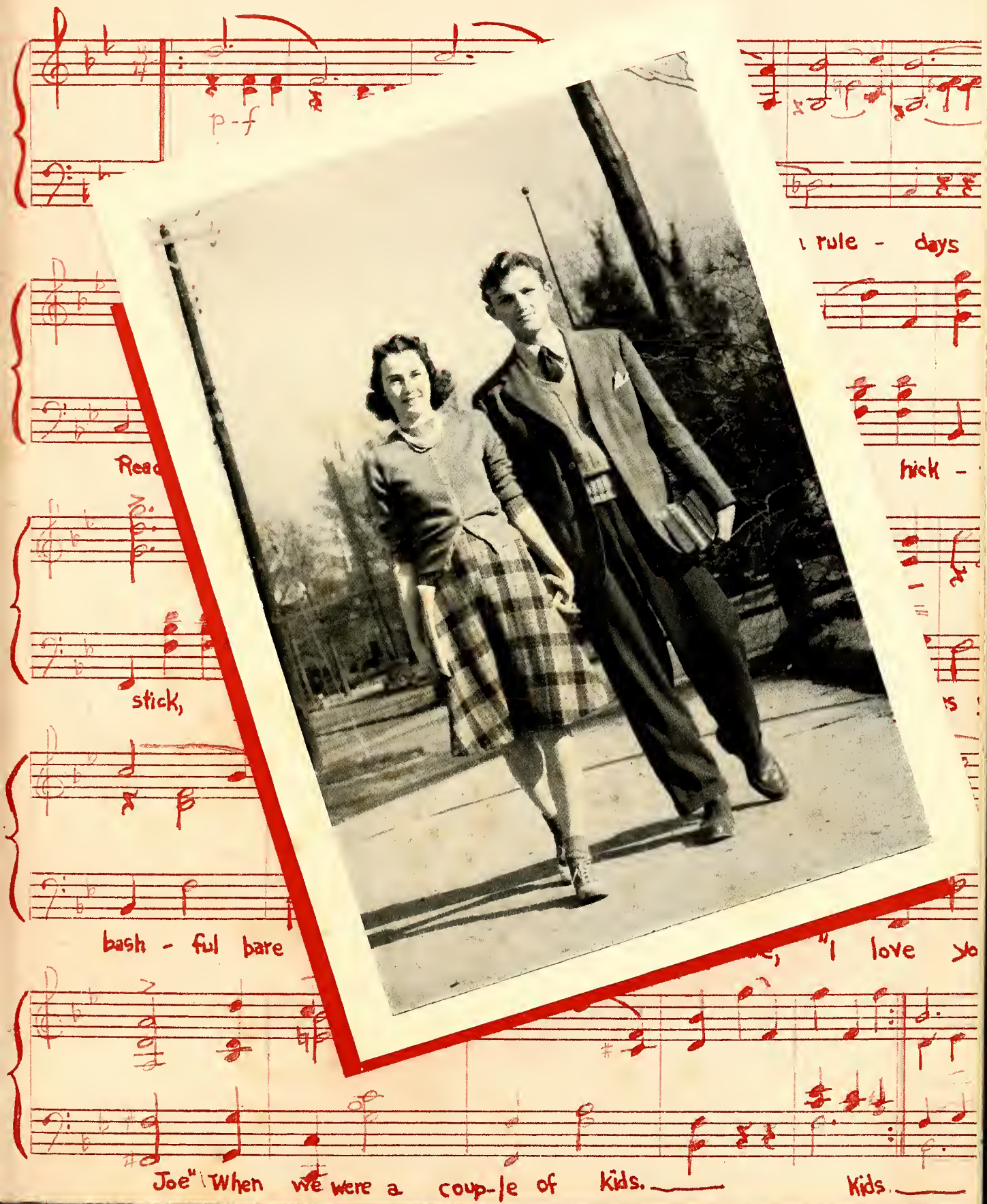

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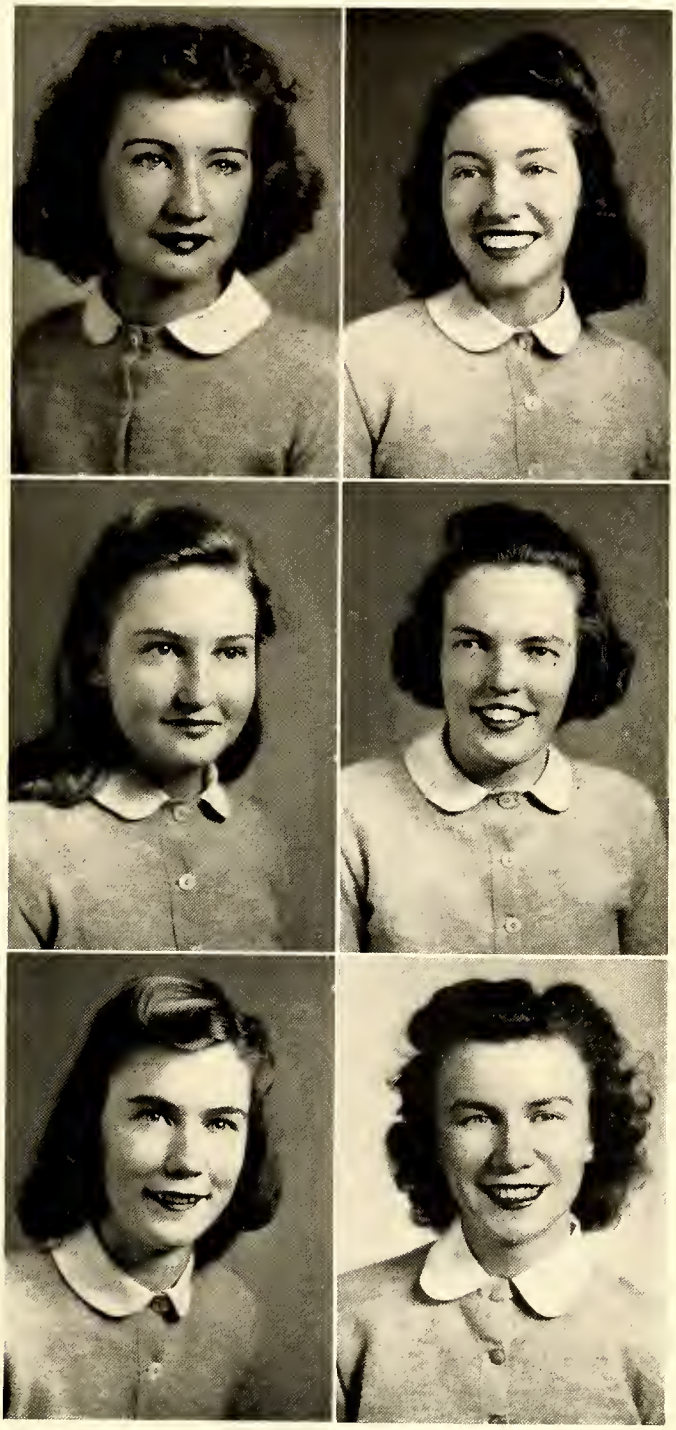

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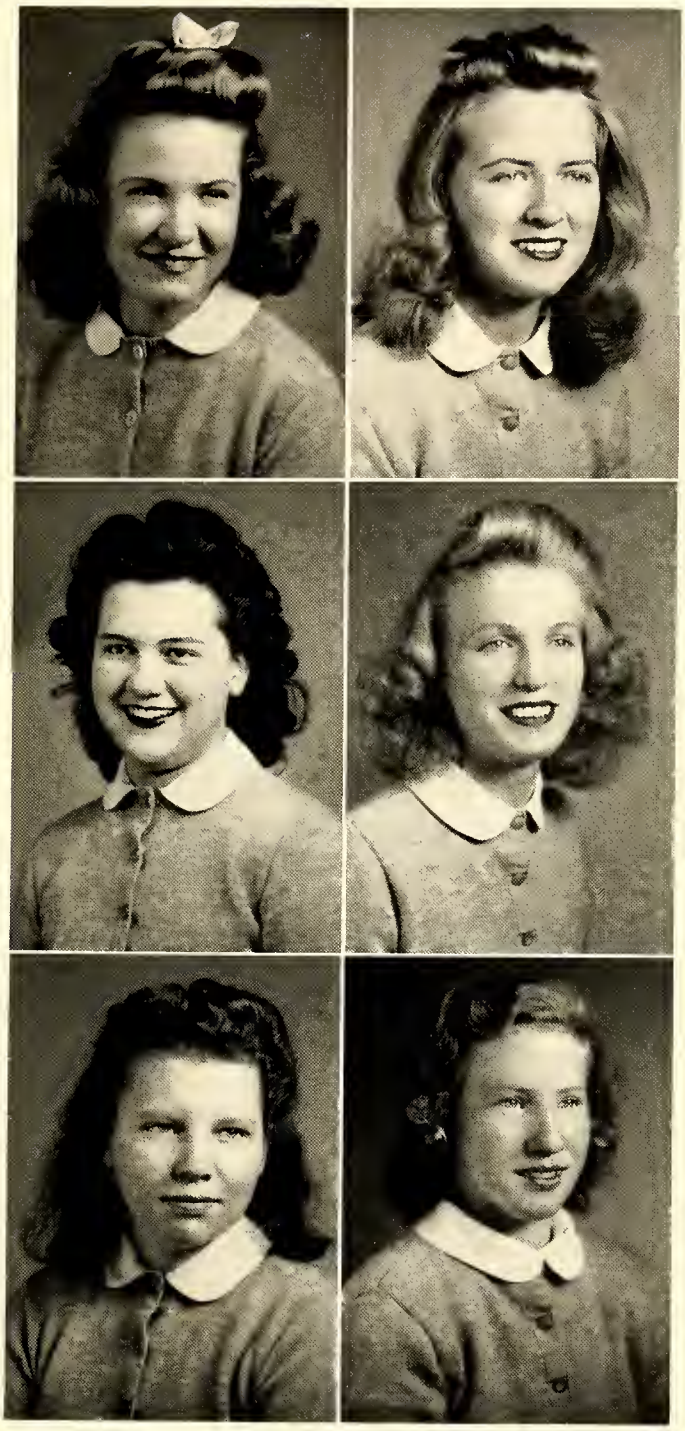

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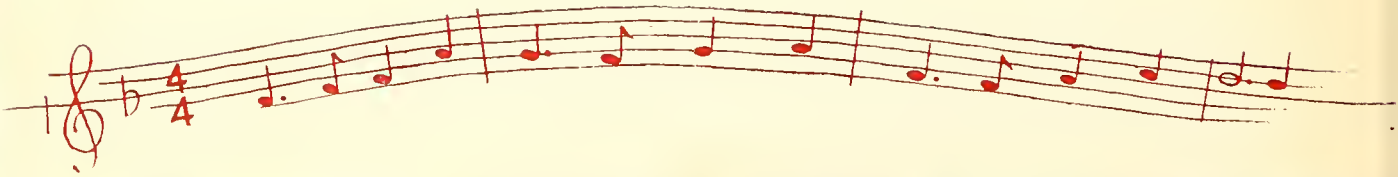

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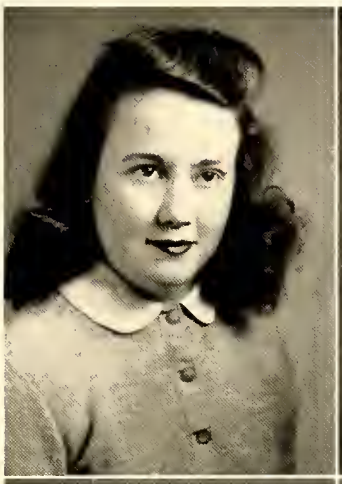

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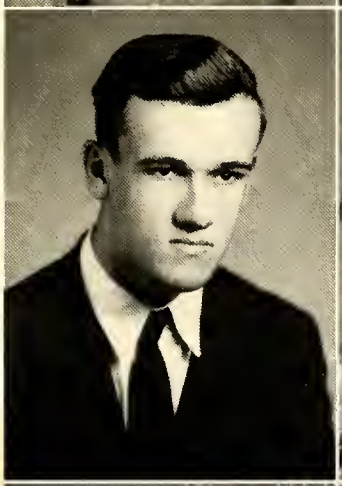

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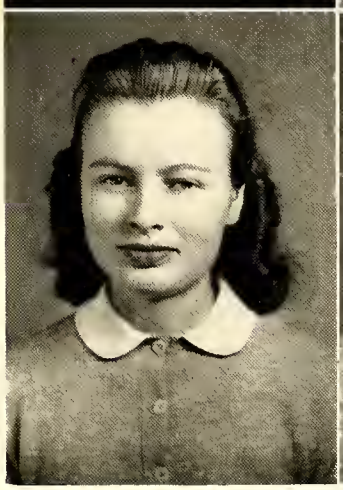

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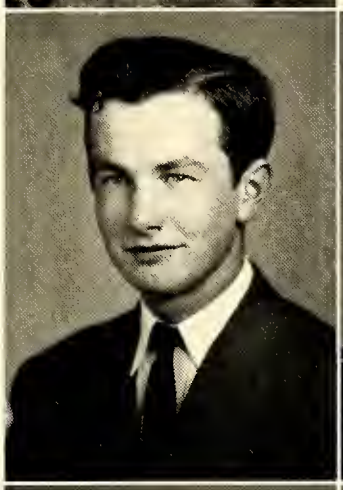

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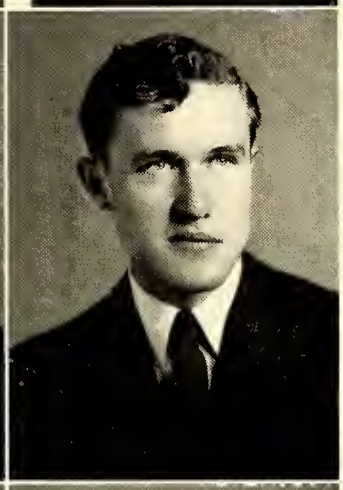

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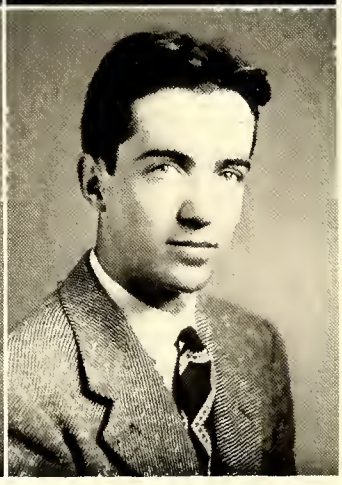

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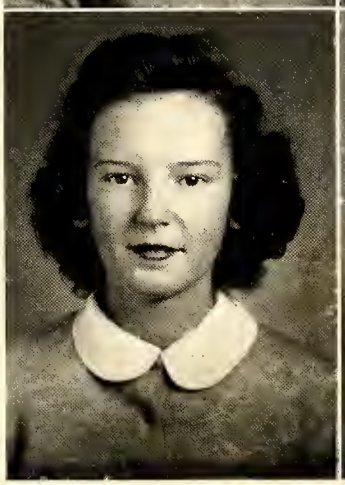

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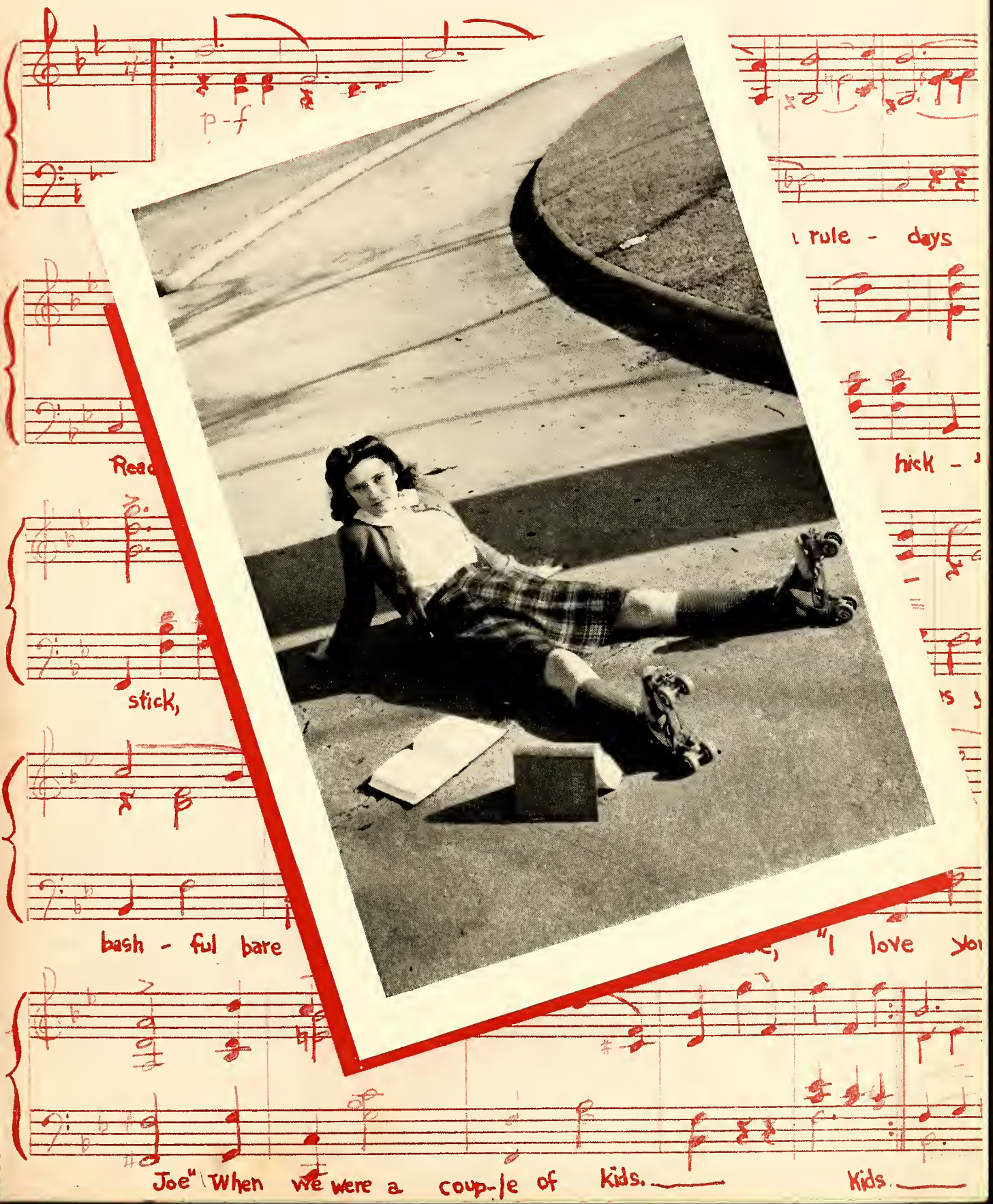

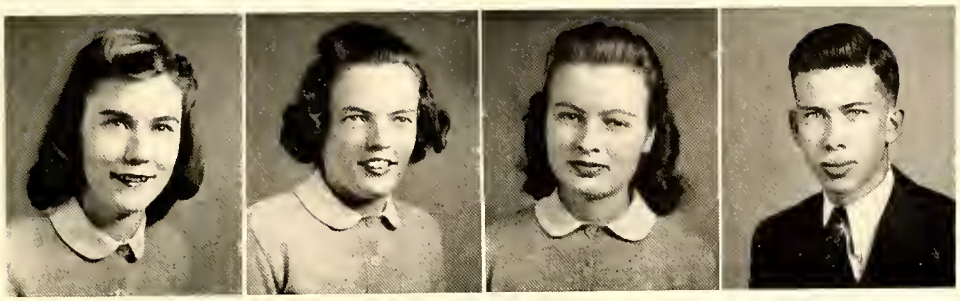

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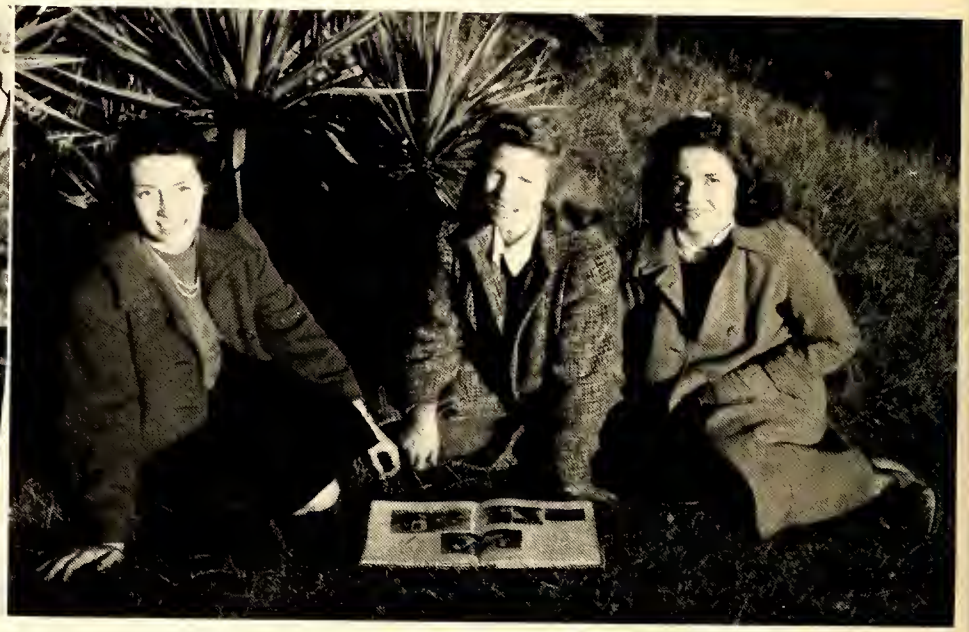

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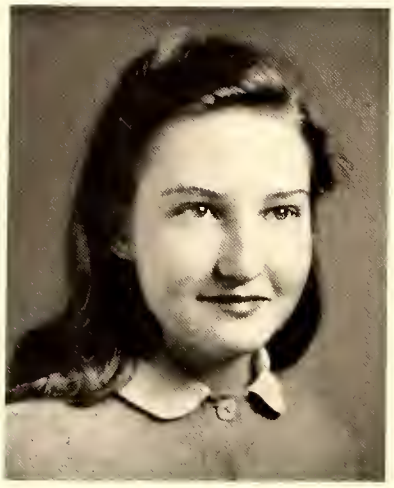

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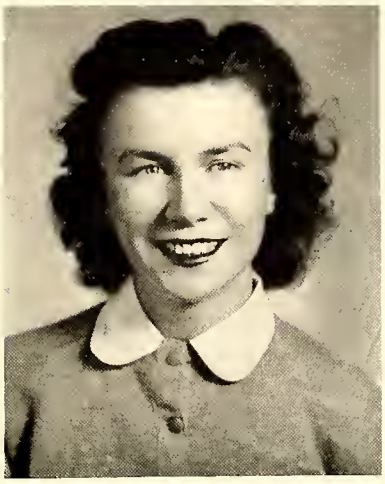

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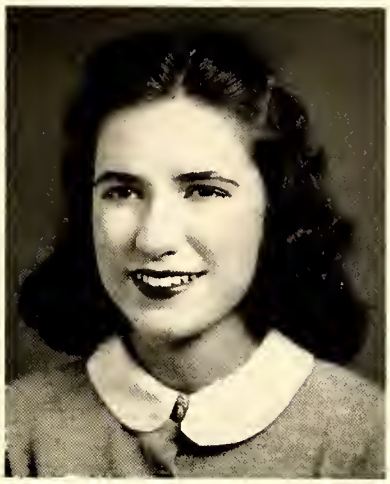

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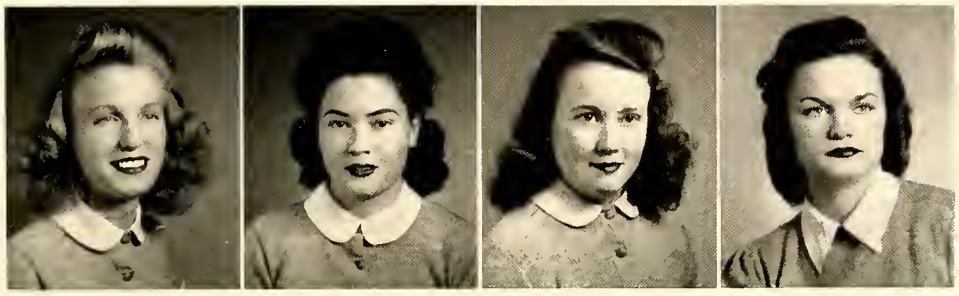

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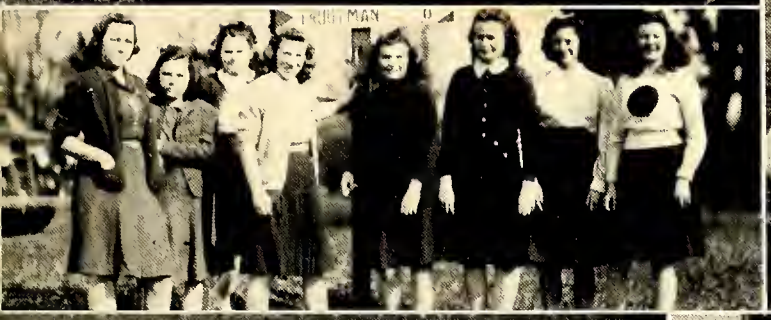

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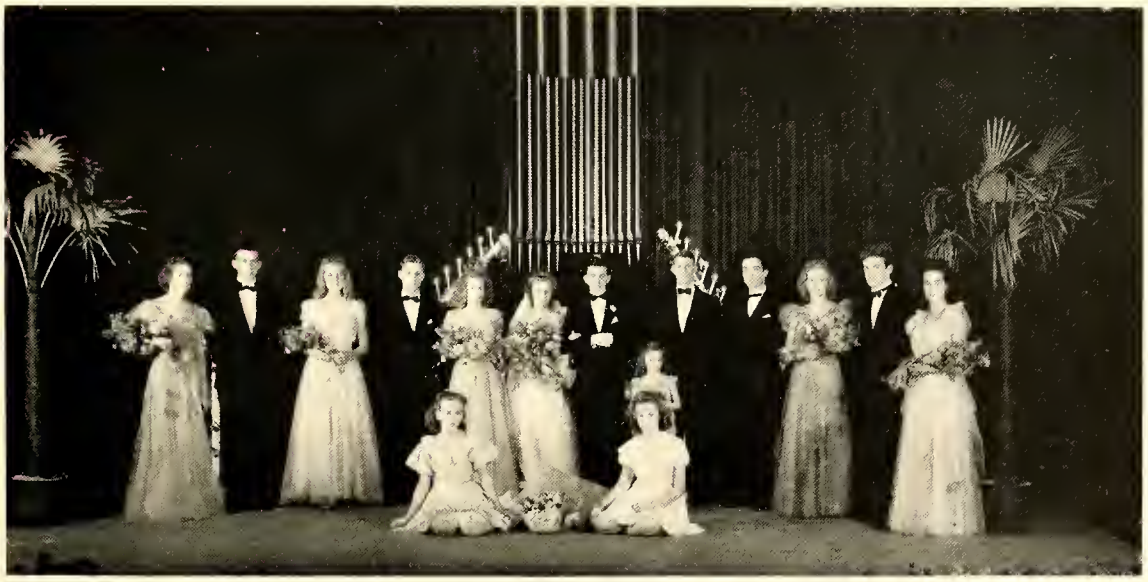

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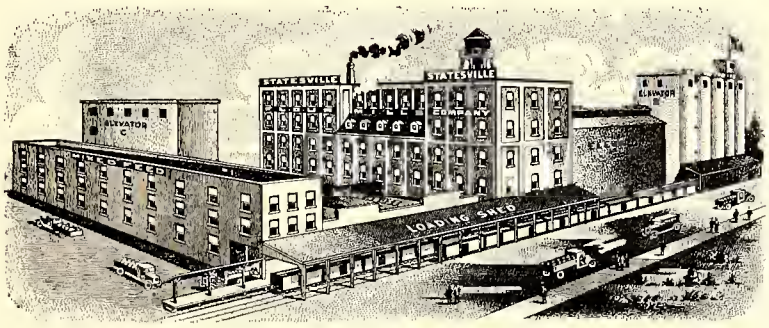

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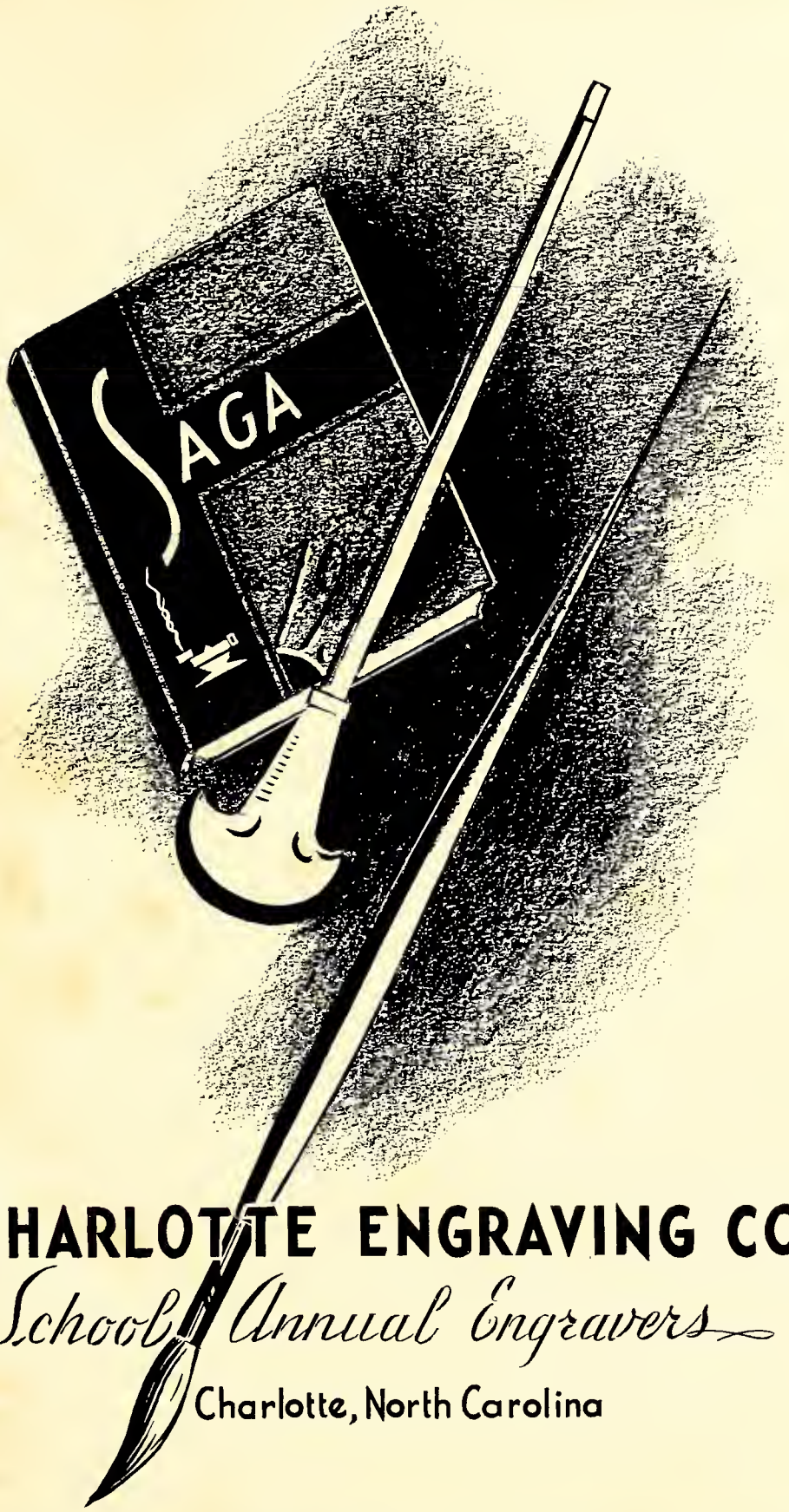

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